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AMENDMENT

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This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 16, 2005 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

Substitute Sequence Listing

Transmitted herewith is a copy of a Substitute "Sequence Listing" in paper form (sheets 1/108 through 108/108) comprising SEQ ID NOS: 1-86 for the above-identified patent application as required by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.825(a) and 1.821(c), and a copy of the Substitute "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form as required by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.825(b) and 1.821(e). Please replace the "Substitute Sequence Listing" filed on July 26, 2000 (sheets 1/102 through 102/102) with the attached Substitute "Sequence Listing."

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b), Applicant's Attorney hereby states that the contents of the Substitute "Sequence Listing" in paper form and in the computer readable form submitted herewith are the same and, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a), also states that the submission includes no new matter.